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FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Dated March 7, 2005

IMI International Medical Innovations Inc.

Commission File Number 1-31360

615-4211 Yonge Street Toronto, Ontario M2P 2A9 CANADA

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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On March 7, 2005, the Corporation issued a press release announcing that its simple, non-invasive test that measures skin tissue cholesterol has demonstrated its ability to detect subclinical vascular disease, according to new data to be presented today at the 54th Annual Scientific Session of the American College of Cardiology, in Orlando, Florida. The information contained in the press release is incorporated herein by reference and filed as Exhibit 99.1.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

IMI International Medical Innovations Inc.

By: /s/ Ronald G. Hosking

Ronald G. Hosking Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: March 7, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	The Registrant's Press Release Dated March 7, 2005

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Other

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Loss before income taxes

(45,464)

	Nine Months OEM Solutions (unaudited)	s Ended Septer Symmetry Surgical	nber 27, 2014 Unallocated	Combined segments	Eliminations	Consolidated Total
Revenues	¢ 222 042	¢ (1 0 4 5		¢ 204 097		¢ 204 097
External revenues Intersegment revenues	\$233,042 5,588	\$61,045 443	_	\$294,087 6,031	\$(6,031	\$294,087
Total revenues	238,630	61,488	_	300,118	(6,031)) 294,087
Depreciation and amortization	12,641	4,725	\$217	17,583	_	17,583
Operating income (loss) Interest expense	24,922	(8,164)	(11,028)	5,730	(273) 5,457 6,383
Loss on debt extinguishment						503
Other Loss before income taxes						(806) (623)

OEM Solutions (unaudited)Symmetry SurgicalUnallocatedCombined segmentsEliminationsConsolidated TotalRevenuesExternal revenues\$223,774\$66,719—\$290,493—\$290,493Intersegment revenues4,04648—4,094\$(4,094)—		Nine Months Ended September 28, 2013						
External revenues \$223,774 \$66,719 — \$290,493 — \$290,493		Solutions		Unallocated		Eliminations		
	Revenues							
Intersegment revenues $4,046$ 48 — $4,094$ $(4,094)$ —	External revenues	\$223,774	\$66,719	—	\$290,493		\$290,493	
e	Intersegment revenues	4,046	48		4,094	\$(4,094)		
Total revenues 227,820 66,767 — 294,587 (4,094) 290,493	Total revenues	227,820	66,767		294,587	(4,094)	290,493	
Depreciation and 12,734 4,520 \$164 17,418 — 17,418	•	12,734	4,520	\$164	17,418	_	17,418	
Operating income (loss) (4,940) (16,330) (7,965) (29,235) 48 (29,187)	Operating income (loss)	(4,940)	(16,330)	(7,965)	(29,235)	48	(29,187)
Interest expense 13,509							<i>,</i>	
Derivatives valuation loss 242		8						
Other 931								
Loss before income taxes (43,869)	Loss before income taxes						(43,869)

Revenues to External Customers:

	Three Months H	Ended	Nine Months Ended		
	September 27, September 28,		September 27,	September 28,	
	2014	2013	2014	2013	
	(unaudited)		(unaudited)		
United States	\$68,880	\$73,449	\$213,810	\$223,406	
Ireland	10,010	7,311	26,792	22,953	
United Kingdom	3,712	3,129	12,083	10,252	
Other foreign countries	13,333	11,778	41,402	33,882	

Total revenues	\$95,935	\$95,667	\$294,087	\$290,493
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Concentration of Credit Risk:

A substantial portion of the Corporation's net revenues is derived from a limited number of customers. Net revenue from customers of the Corporation which individually account for 10% or more of the Corporation's net revenue is as follows:

Three months ended September 27, 2014 - Two customers represented approximately 29.5% and 13.3%, respectively, of revenue.

Three months ended September 28, 2013 - Two customers represented approximately 32.2% and 10.3%, respectively, of revenue.

Nine Months Ended September 27, 2014 - Two customers represented approximately 30.5% and 12.2%, respectively, of revenue.

Nine Months Ended September 28, 2013 - Two customers represented approximately 33.0% and 10.0%, respectively, of revenue.

Following is a summary of the composition by segment and product category of the Corporation's net revenues to external customers.

Sales by product	Three Month September 27, 2014 (unaudited)	ns Ended September 28, 2013	Nine Months September 27, 2014 (unaudited)	Ended September 28, 2013
OEM Solutions Revenue				
Instruments	\$28,391	\$27,200	\$87,081	\$83,445
Implants	27,130	26,108	84,918	80,213
Cases	16,269	16,959	49,217	50,432
Other	4,108	3,182	11,826	9,684
Total OEM Solutions Revenue	75,898	73,449	233,042	223,774
Total Symmetry Surgical Revenue	20,037	22,218	61,045	66,719
Total Revenue	\$95,935	\$95,667	\$294,087	\$290,493

13. Net Income Per Share

The following table sets forth the computation of earnings per share.

	Three Months EndedSeptember 27,September 28,20142013(unaudited)			Nine Months September 27 2014 (unaudited)	nded September 28, 2013		
Net income (loss) for basic earnings per share:							
Continuing operations	\$1,317	\$(29,017		\$98		\$(27,759)
Discontinued operations	\$—	· ·		\$(4,078		\$(5,882)
Income available to common shares - basic	\$1,317	\$(34,524)	\$(3,980)	\$(33,641)
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	g 36,594	36,345		36,582		36,312	
Basic net income (loss) per share attributable to common shareholders:							
Continuing operations	\$0.04	\$(0.80)	\$—		\$(0.76)
Discontinued operations, net of tax	\$—	\$(0.15)	\$(0.11)	\$(0.17)
Net income attributable to common shareholders	\$0.04	\$(0.95)	\$(0.11)	\$(0.93)
Net income (loss) for diluted earnings per share:							
Continuing operations	\$1,317	\$(29,017)	\$98		\$(27,759)
Discontinued operations	\$—	\$(5,507)	\$(4,078)	\$(5,882)
Income available to common shares - basic	\$1,317	\$(34,524)	\$(3,980)	\$(33,641)
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding	g 36,594	36,345		36,582		36,312	
Effect of dilution	500	_		469		_	
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	37,094	36,345		37,051		36,312	
Diluted net income (loss) per share attributable to common shareholders:							
Continuing operations	\$0.04	\$(0.80)	\$—		\$(0.76)
Discontinued operations, net of tax	\$—	\$(0.15)	\$(0.11)	\$(0.17)
Net income attributable to common shareholders	\$0.04	\$(0.95)	\$(0.11)	\$(0.93)

The diluted weighted average share calculations for the three and nine month periods ended September 28, 2013 did not include 548 and 485, respectively, of dilutive shares due to the net loss from continuing operations incurred for these periods. In addition, performance based restricted stock awarded in 2014 totaling 240 shares has not been included in the diluted shares, due to the respective measurement period not being completed.

14. Accounts Receivable Factoring

The Corporation had an agreement with an unrelated third-party for the factoring of specific accounts receivable in its subsidiary, Clamonta Ltd. to reduce the amount of working capital required to fund such receivables. This agreement was terminated in conjunction with the sale of Clamonta in May 2014.

The factoring of accounts receivable under this agreement were accounted for as a sale in accordance with ASC 860, Transfers and Servicing. Proceeds on the transfer reflect the face value of the account less a discount. The discount has been recorded as a charge in loss from discontinued operations in the consolidated statement of operations in the period of the sale. Net funds received reduced accounts receivable outstanding while increasing cash. The Corporation has no significant retained interests, nor any continuing involvement or servicing liabilities related to the accounts receivable that have been sold. For the three months ended September 28, 2013, the Corporation sold \$948 and \$4,458 and \$2,958 for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013, respectively, of accounts

receivable pursuant to this agreement, which represents the face amount of total outstanding receivables at the time the receivables are sold. Fees paid pursuant to this agreement were \$6 for the three months ended September 28, 2013 and \$27 and \$21 for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013, respectively.

15. Commitments and Contingencies

Legal & Environmental Matters. The Corporation is involved, from time to time, in various contractual, product liability, patent (or intellectual property) and other claims and disputes incidental to its business. Currently, there is no environmental or other litigation pending or, to the knowledge of the Corporation, threatened, that the Corporation expects to have a material adverse effect on its financial condition, results of operations or liquidity. While litigation is subject to uncertainties and the outcome of litigated matters is not predictable with assurance, the Corporation currently believes that the disposition of all pending or, to the knowledge of the Corporation, threatened claims and disputes, individually or in the aggregate, should not have a material adverse effect on the Corporation's consolidated financial condition, results of operations or liquidity.

On September 29, 2014, a purported class action complaint challenging the Merger and Separation Transaction (as defined below) was filed on behalf of Resolution Partners, an alleged stockholder of the Corporation, and all others similarly situated, in the Kosciusko Circuit Court in the state of Indiana. The complaint generally alleges, among other things, that the members of the SMI board of directors breached their fiduciary duties to Resolution Partners and SMI stockholders during merger negotiations and by entering into the Merger Agreement and approving the Merger, and that Genstar and Tecomet allegedly aided and abetted such alleged breaches of fiduciary duties. The complaint further alleges that the joint proxy statement/prospectus filed by Symmetry Surgical with the SEC on September 5, 2014, which contained the preliminary proxy statement of SMI, was misleading or omitted certain allegedly material information. The complaint seeks, among other relief, injunctive relief enjoining consummation of the Merger, compensatory and/or rescissory damages in an unspecified amount and costs and fees. The defendants believe that the claims asserted against them in the lawsuit are without merit, but express no view on the possible outcomes of the litigation.

Unconditional Purchase Obligations. The Corporation has contracts to purchase minimum quantities of cobalt chrome, nickel and titanium through July 2017. Additionally, the Corporation has a contract to purchase finished instruments through August 2019. Based on contractual pricing at September 27, 2014, the minimum purchase obligations total \$19,817. Purchases under the respective contracts total approximately \$8,781 for the nine months ended September 27, 2014. These purchases are not in excess of our forecasted requirements. Additionally, as of September 27, 2014, the Corporation has \$3,823 of commitments to complete capital projects in progress.

16. Facility Closure and Severance Costs

Results of operations include pre-tax charges of \$161 and \$454 for the three months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013, respectively and \$928 and \$1,360 for the nine months then ended, respectively. The segment composition of these charges includes OEM Solutions for the three months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013 of \$155 and \$0, respectively, Symmetry Surgical of \$6 and \$454, respectively. As of September 27, 2014 and December 28, 2013, severance accruals related to these cost reduction actions totaled \$199 and \$361, respectively, and are included in other accrued expenses in the consolidated balance sheets. The decrease in the accrual since December 28, 2013 represents severance charges paid during the first three quarters of fiscal 2014. These costs are expected to be paid through December 2014.

On February 21, 2014, the Corporation announced that the consultation processes that began with its employees on January 30, 2014 had concluded with an agreement that the facility in Cheltenham, United Kingdom should cease production within calendar 2014. The Cheltenham plant is engaged primarily in the manufacture of medical instruments and employs approximately 40 people. As of September 27, 2014, Cheltenham was no longer producing instruments and is completing the final procedures to vacate the facility. The Corporation estimates additional costs of approximately \$500 will be incurred in 2014 primarily related to lease termination costs, moving and transition costs in connection with the plant closure. For the nine months ended September 27, 2014, \$598 in severance and stay bonus costs have been recorded and are reflected in the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

17. Merger and Separation

On August 4, 2014, the Corporation announced that it has entered a definitive agreement to sell all of its common stock to Tecomet and concurrently transfer to Symmetry Medical, Inc.'s shareholders ownership in a new company holding its Symmetry Surgical business (merger and Separation Transaction). Tecomet, which is owned by Genstar Capital, is a contract manufacturing, engineering and metal fabrication technology company based in Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Under terms of the agreement, Symmetry Medical will transfer its Symmetry Surgical business to its shareholders, immediately followed by the acquisition of the remaining OEM Solutions business by Tecomet for \$450 million in cash.

These transactions are conditioned on, among other things, the approval and adoption of the definitive agreement by the Company's shareholders. The Company and Tecomet have each agreed to use reasonable best efforts and, subject to certain limitations, take actions required in connection with obtaining such approvals.

If the agreement is terminated in certain circumstances described within the agreement, the Corporation may be obligated to pay Tecomet a termination fee of \$13,500; the Corporation may be obligated to reimburse up to \$1,000 of Tecomet's expenses in connection with the sale; or Tecomet may be obligated to pay the Corporation a termination fee of \$27,000.

ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Business Overview

Symmetry Medical Inc. is a leading global source of medical device solutions, including surgical instruments, orthopedic implants, and sterilization cases and trays. We employ over 2,400 teammates around the world who are dedicated to being the trusted global source of innovative medical device solutions and surgical instruments for today's needs and tomorrow's growth.

In our OEM Solutions segment, we offer our original equipment manufacturer (OEM) customers instruments, implants and sterilization cases and trays. Symmetry Surgical, our hospital-direct medical distribution business is complementary to core competencies and is not competitive with our OEM customers. Our salespeople call on hospital personnel in the operating room, materials management and central sterile departments. Our goal is to offer best-in-class quality and regulatory systems as well as customer innovation through Total Solutions® collaborations.

During the third quarter 2014, Symmetry's OEM Solutions business revenue increased \$2,449, or 3.3%, compared to the third quarter 2013. This increase is primarily driven by stable-to-slightly-improving orthopedic procedural growth. During the third quarter 2014, our combined five largest OEM customers increased revenue by 3.1% compared to the third quarter 2013, primarily driven by stable-to-slightly-improving orthopedic procedural growth. Our overall OEM Solutions revenue in the third quarter 2014 decreased by \$4,982 from the second quarter 2014 resulting from decreased demand across all product lines, primarily driven by seasonality.

During the third quarter 2014, Symmetry Surgical revenue decreased \$2,181, or 9.8%, compared to the third quarter 2013. This decrease was primarily due to the New Wave Surgical product line, which was acquired by Covidien in the first quarter and no longer sold by Symmetry Surgical after April 30, 2014, resulting in a partial quarter of sales in the second quarter, continued supplier disruption issues along with ongoing sluggish hospital spending environment in the U.S.

In the U.S., Symmetry Surgical continues to focus on salesforce execution and customer service levels. During the third quarter of 2014, Symmetry Surgical continued to experience growth of the newly launched global e-commerce site to serve customers.

Outside of the U.S., Symmetry Surgical continues to work to increase business with our distributor network. We have successfully transferred regulatory approvals for product labeled in legacy graphics in the vast majority of countries and continue the process of registering the new Symmetry Surgical labeling of these products in all countries as well. We also continue a similar process for the former SSI and Olsen product lines, which previously had only been in very limited international distribution, so that we may offer these products to customers throughout the world.

We believe that the Symmetry Surgical business is operating in an environment with temporary impediments to market growth. The most significant of these was the trend of flat to negative general surgical procedure rates in the U.S. and Europe. However, we plan to continue to expand coverage and product portfolio to serve our hospital and surgery center direct customers consistently with our strategic principles.

On August 4, 2014, the Corporation announced that it has entered a definitive agreement to sell all of its common stock to Tecomet and concurrently transfer to Symmetry Medical, Inc.'s shareholders ownership in a new company holding its Symmetry Surgical business. Tecomet, which is owned by Genstar Capital, is a contract manufacturing, engineering and metal fabrication technology company based in Wilmington, Massachusetts. Under terms of the agreement, Symmetry Medical will transfer its Symmetry Surgical business to its shareholders, immediately followed by the acquisition of the remaining OEM Solutions business by Tecomet for \$450 million in cash. These transactions are conditioned on, among other things, the approval and adoption of the definitive agreement by the Corporation's shareholders. The Corporation and Tecomet have each agreed to use reasonable best efforts and, subject to certain limitations, take actions required in connection with obtaining such approvals. If the agreement is terminated in certain circumstances described within the agreement, the Corporation may be obligated to pay Tecomet a termination fee of \$13,500; the Corporation may be obligated to reimburse up to \$1,000 of Tecomet's expenses in connection with the sale; or Tecomet may be obligated to pay the Corporation a termination fee of \$27,000.

Since announcing the proposed Merger and Separation Transaction on August 4 steady progress has been made towards a timely closing of the transaction. This includes:

Receiving Hart-Scott-Rodino anti-trust clearance from the FTC in early September;

Filing a preliminary registration statement on form S-4 with the SEC for Symmetry Surgical in early September and have subsequently responded to two rounds of questions from the SEC with the most recent amended version filed on Thursday, October 23, 2014.

After filing the definitive proxy and shareholder vote, which is the final approval required to complete the process, the Corporation continues to expect to close the transaction by the end of 2014.

Third Quarter Results of Operations

Revenue. Revenue for the three months ended September 27, 2014 increased \$268, or 0.3%, to \$95,935 from \$95,667 for the comparable 2013 period. Revenue for each of our segments and principal product categories in these periods was as follows:

Sales by product	Three Months September 27, 2014 (unaudited)	Ended September 28, 2013	Dollar Change	Percent Change	
OEM Solutions Revenue					
Instruments	\$28,391	\$27,200	\$1,191	4.4	%
Implants	27,130	26,108	1,022	3.9	%
Cases	16,269	16,959	(690) (4.1)%
Other	4,108	3,182	926	29.1	%
Total OEM Solutions Revenue	75,898	73,449	2,449	3.3	%
Total Symmetry Surgical Revenue	20,037	22,218	(2,181) (9.8)%
Total Revenue	\$95,935	\$95,667	\$268	0.3	%

The \$2,449 increase in OEM Solutions revenue resulted from increased demand in all of our product lines, except cases, as well as favorable foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations of \$761. Overall, we experienced increased revenues of 3.1% from our five largest OEM customers which drove the increase in instruments revenue and a portion of the increase in implants revenue. OEM Solutions Instruments revenue increased \$1,191 driven by the positive trend that began in the first quarter following the softness we experienced in the second half of 2013. We continue to see a relatively stable capital spending environment from OEM customers on Instruments, with no new significant ramp in firmed purchase orders, except for customer investments in larger product launches, which have been deliberate in nature, as well as the favorable foreign exchange rate fluctuation of \$72. OEM Solutions Implant revenue increased \$1,022 in-line with the procedural growth rate as compared to the strong growth in the first quarter of the year driven by customer inventory restocking. Implants revenue also included a favorable foreign exchange rate fluctuation of \$499. Cases revenue decreased \$690 reflecting timing of customer demand as compared to prior year offset by relatively stable capital spending as well as favorable currency exchange fluctuation of \$23. OEM Solutions Other product revenue increased \$926 compared to third quarter 2013 primarily driven by strong aerospace customer demand at our Lansing, MI as well as Sheffield, UK facilities, as well as favorable foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations of \$167.

The \$2,181 decrease in Symmetry Surgical revenue in the third quarter 2014 as compared to 2013 was primarily driven by a \$1,743 reduction in the New Wave Surgical product line, which was acquired by Covidien in the first

quarter and stopped being sold by Symmetry Surgical beginning at the end of April in the second quarter. Third quarter 2014 revenue was also negatively impacted by share loss to competition, a sluggish hospital spending environment in the U.S., and product backorders resulting from the consumption of available inventory and our inability to source certain product from a new or incremental supplier promptly. While we did see improvement during the third quarter as we utilize new suppliers or collaborated with our existing supplier base to improve performance, late deliveries have negatively impacted revenue.

Gross Profit. Gross profit for the three months ended September 27, 2014 increased \$474, or 1.9%, to \$25,712 from \$25,238 for the comparable 2013 period. Gross margin as a percentage of revenue increased 0.4%, to 26.8% for the third quarter 2014 from 26.4% for the comparable 2013 period.

	Three Months Ended September 27, 2014			
	Dollars As a % of Reve			
	(unaudited	l)		
2013 period reported gross profit	\$25,238	26.4	%	
Change in organic revenue and mix	(739) (0.8)%	
Foreign currency impact	204	0.2	%	
Manufacturing costs and other	1,009	1.0	%	
2014 period reported gross profit	\$25,712	26.8	%	

Gross margin was driven by increased volume across all product lines of the OEM Solutions segment, except cases, while maintaining fixed overhead structure as well as favorable manufacturing efficiencies in the Instruments and Implants product lines. Improved efficiencies are as a result of Symmetry Business Systems continued incremental improvements. OEM Solutions was also favorably impacted by insurance proceeds of \$756 related to the Sheffield fire that occurred in 2013. The increase in OEM Solutions gross margin was partially offset by lower percentage of revenue from the Corporation's higher margin Symmetry Surgical segment as compared to the same period last year.

Research and Development Expenses. For the three months ended September 27, 2014, research and development expenses increased \$140 or 12.5% to \$1,261 from \$1,121 in the comparable period in fiscal 2013, primarily due to increased employee compensation and benefit costs as well as costs associated with maintaining patents.

Sales and Marketing Expenses. For the three months ended September 27, 2014, sales and marketing expenses decreased \$217 or 3.3% to \$6,292 from \$6,509 in the comparable period in 2013, primarily due to a reduction in Symmetry Surgical catalog expenses as the Corporation launched a global distribution of the updated and comprehensive catalog in third quarter 2013, partially offset by an increase bad debt expense.

General and Administrative Expenses. For the three months ended September 27, 2014, general and administrative expenses increased \$4,040 or 37.1%, to \$14,939 from \$10,899 in the comparable period in fiscal 2013. Significant items which impacted general and administrative expenses included:

	Three Mor September		
	Dollars	As a % of Reve	nue
	(unaudited	.)	
2013 period reported General & Administrative expenses	\$10,899	11.4	%
Transaction related costs	3,434		
Employee compensation and benefit costs paid in cash	(652)	
Change in amortization of intangible assets	155		
Change in stock compensation	241		
Foreign currency impact	67		
Other	795		
2014 period reported General & Administrative expenses	\$14,939	15.6	%

Transaction related costs are primarily a result of increased professional services fees associated with the Merger and Separation Transaction as previously discussed. During the three months ended September 27, 2014, employee compensation and benefit costs paid in cash decreased due to a decrease for self-insurance medical claims incurred during that period as compared to the comparable period in fiscal 2013 under the Corporation's U.S. based medical

plan.

Facility Closure and Severance Costs. Results of Operations include pre-tax charges of \$161 and \$454 for the three months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013, respectively. Fiscal 2014 expenses are primarily related to the previously announced closure of our Cheltenham, UK facility, which is expected to be completed later this year. As of September 27, 2014, severance accruals related to these cost reduction actions totaled \$199 and were included in other accrued liabilities in the consolidated balance sheets.

Operating Income (loss). On a consolidated basis, operating income (loss) increased \$43,352, or 107.6% for the three months ended September 27, 2014 as compared to the 2013 period due to an increase in OEM Solutions operating income of \$28,315 as well as an increase in Symmetry Surgical operating income of \$18,801 offset by an increase in Unallocated loss of \$3,764. Operating income (loss) for each of our segments in these periods was as follows:

	OEM Solu	tions		Symmetry	Surgical	U	Unallocat	ed		Consolidat	ed Total	
		As a %			As a %			As a %			As a %	
	Dollars	of		Dollars	of		Dollars	of		Dollars	of	
		Revenu	le		Revenu	e		Revenu	e		Revenu	le
	(unaudited)										
2013 period reported operating income (loss)	\$(19,489)	(26.0)%	\$(18,290)	(82.3)%	\$(2,514)	(2.6)%	\$(40,293)	(42.1)%
Impact of gross profit and SG&A	l 1,731	3.2	%	(1,456)	(14.9)%	(3,764)	(3.8)%	(3,489)	(3.5)%
Impact of asset impairment	26,739	34.3	%	19,809	97.5	%	_		%	46,548	48.5	%
Facility closure and severance	(155)	(0.2)%	448	2.2	%	_		%	293	0.3	%
2014 period reported operating income (loss)	\$8,826	11.3	%	\$511	2.5	%	\$(6,278)	(6.4)%	\$3,059	3.2	%

OEM Solutions operating income improved by \$28,315 and was 11.3% of segment revenue during the three month period ended September 27, 2014 as compared to (26.0)% in the comparable prior year period primarily due to the 2013 asset impairment charge as well as increased revenue and gross margin. Symmetry Surgical operating income increased by \$18,801 and was 2.5% of segment revenue in the 2014 period as compared to (82.3)% in 2013 primarily due to the 2013 asset impairment charge offset by a reduction in revenue discussed above. The increase in the Unallocated loss is primarily related to increased professional service fees for transaction related expenses.

Other (Income) Expense. Interest expense for the three months ended September 27, 2014 decreased \$2,286, or 52.7%, to \$2,051 from \$4,337 for the comparable period in 2013. This decrease is most significantly attributable to the extinguishment of our Mezzanine Debt during December 2013, which bore interest at 14%, as well as the decrease in debt outstanding by \$10,775 as of September 2014 as compared to September 2013.

Derivatives valuation consists of foreign currency forward contracts which were used to mitigate the effect of changes in the foreign exchange rates on net income. As of December 28, 2013, we had settled all of our outstanding forward swap contracts. We recorded a loss of \$5 for the three months ended September 28, 2013, which was a result of fluctuation in the Euro versus the US Dollar.

Other income for the three months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013 represents foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations on transactions denominated in foreign currencies.

Income Tax Expense. Our effective tax rate was an expense of 23.3% for the three months ended September 27, 2014 as compared to a benefit of 36.2% for the three months ended September 28, 2013. Provision for income taxes increased by \$16,848, or 102.4%, to \$401 for the three months ended September 27, 2014 from \$(16,447) for the comparable 2013 period primarily due to a \$47,182 increase in pre-tax income and the impact of non-deductible professional fees occurred in third quarter 2014 related to the pending Merger and Separation Transaction. The rate in third quarter 2013 was impacted by non-deductible goodwill impairment of \$6,581.

Nine Months Results of Operations

Revenue. Revenue for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 increased \$3,594, or 1.2%, to \$294,087 from \$290,493 for the comparable fiscal 2013 period. Revenue for each of our segments and principal product categories in these periods was as follows:

Sales by product	Nine Months Er September 27, 2014 (unaudited)	nded September 28, 2013	Dollar Change	Percent Change	
OEM Solutions Revenue					
Instruments	\$87,081	\$83,445	\$3,636	4.4	%
Implants	84,918	80,213	4,705	5.9	%
Cases	49,217	50,432	(1,215) (2.4)%
Other	11,826	9,684	2,142	22.1	%
Total OEM Solutions Revenue	233,042	223,774	9,268	4.1	%
Total Symmetry Surgical Revenue	61,045	66,719	(5,674) (8.5)%
Total Revenue	\$294,087	\$290,493	\$3,594	1.2	%

The \$9,268 increase in OEM Solutions revenue resulted from increased customer demand within our instruments, implants and other product lines, partially offset by decreased demand in our cases product line. Overall, we experienced increased revenues of 4.8% from our five largest OEM customers. OEM Solutions Instruments revenue increased \$3,636 due to as 8.0% increase from our five largest OEM customers as well as favorable foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations of \$236, partially offset by lower demand from other medical customers. OEM Solutions Implants revenue increased \$4,705 driven by slightly improved procedure rates along with increased customer consumption demand as well as the timing of stocking orders and inventory adjustments at our customers as well as favorable foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations of \$1,942. Cases revenue decreased \$1,215 due primarily to lower capital spending by our customers to support launch volumes, partially offset by favorable foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations of \$352. OEM Solutions Other product revenue increased \$2,142 driven by increased aerospace customer demand at our Lansing, MI and Sheffield, UK facilities as well as favorable foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations of \$472.

The \$5,674 decrease in Symmetry Surgical revenue in the nine months ended September 27, 2014 as compared to 2013 was tied to a \$2,343 decrease in revenue driven by the New Wave Surgical product line, which was acquired by Covidien in the first quarter and stopped being sold by Symmetry Surgical beginning at the end of April in the second quarter. Additionally, revenue has continued to be negatively impacted by a decline in sales of products which were acquired in a late 2011 acquisition from Johnson & Johnson ("J&J") due to continued supplier disruption issues along with ongoing sluggish hospital spending environment in the U.S. and the ongoing transition to distributorships outside of the U.S. Revenue was favorably impacted by foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations of \$145.

Gross Profit. Gross profit for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 increased \$840, or 1.1%, to \$77,611 from \$76,771 for the comparable fiscal 2013 period. Gross margin as a percentage of revenue remained flat at 26.4% for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 and the comparable fiscal 2013 period.

	Nine Months Ended September 27, 2014			
	Dollars As a % of Reven			
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)		
2013 period reported gross profit	\$76,771	26.4	%	
Change in organic revenue and mix	(1,538) (0.5)%	
Foreign currency impact	610	0.2	%	

Manufacturing costs and other	1,768	0.3	%
2014 period reported gross profit	\$77,611	26.4	%

Gross margin was driven by increased volume across all product lines of the OEM Solutions segment, except cases, while maintaining fixed overhead structure as well as favorable manufacturing efficiencies in the instruments and implants product lines. Improved efficiencies are a result of Symmetry Business Systems continued incremental improvements. OEM Solutions

was also favorably impacted by insurance proceeds of \$1,311 related to the Sheffield fire that occurred in 2013. The increase in OEM Solutions gross margin was partially offset by lower percentage of revenue from the Corporation's higher margin Symmetry Surgical segment as compared to the same period last year.

Research and Development Expenses. For the nine months ended September 27, 2014, research and development expenses increased \$201 or 5.8% to \$3,660 from \$3,459 in the comparable period in fiscal 2013, primarily due to increased employee compensation and benefit costs.

Sales and Marketing Expenses. For the nine months ended September 27, 2014, sales and marketing expenses decreased \$1,193 or 5.8% to \$19,235 from \$20,428 in the comparable period in fiscal 2013, primarily due to a reduction in Symmetry Surgical employee compensation and benefits as a result of lower sales in 2014. In addition, during third quarter 2013 Symmetry Surgical incurred catalog expenses associated with the global distribution of an updated and comprehensive catalog, which did not repeat in 2014.

General and Administrative Expenses. For the nine months ended September 27, 2014, general and administrative expenses increased \$3,668 or 10.7%, to \$37,831 from \$34,163 in the comparable period in fiscal 2013. Significant items which impacted general and administrative expenses included:

	Nine Months Ended		
	September 27, 2014		
	Dollars		
	Donars	of Revenue	
	(unaudited	ł)	
2013 period reported General & Administrative expenses	\$34,163	11.8	%
Transaction related costs	3,768		
Employee compensation and benefit costs paid in cash	(1,341)	
Change in amortization of intangible assets	506		
Change in stock compensation	782		
Foreign currency impact	219		
Other	(266)	
2014 period reported General & Administrative expenses	\$37,831	12.9	%

Transaction related costs are primarily a result of increased professional services fees associated with the Merger and Separation Transaction as previously discussed. During the first nine months of fiscal 2014, employee compensation and benefit costs paid in cash decreased due to a decrease for self-insurance medical claims incurred during 2014 as compared to 2013 under the Corporation's U.S. based medical plan. Increase in amortization of intangibles resulted from determining that unamortizing intangibles should become amortizing as of the fourth quarter 2013 and future. Medical device excise tax is driven by lower sales in Symmetry Surgical while stock compensation increase is driven by incremental restricted stock issuance.

Asset Impairment. During the second quarter of fiscal 2014, we recorded a pre-tax non-cash charge in the amount of \$10,500 in the Symmetry Surgical segment. This impairment is primarily driven by lower revenue due to sluggish hospital spending environment in the U.S. and previously disclosed integration challenges related to the 2011 acquisition of the Codman surgical instruments business from which we have not recovered as quickly as previously expected.

Facility Closure and Severance Costs. Results of Operations include pre-tax charges of \$928 and \$1,360 for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013, respectively. Fiscal 2014 expenses are primarily related to the previously announced closure of our Cheltenham, UK facility which is expected to be completed later this year. As of September 27, 2014, severance accruals related to these cost reduction actions totaled \$199 and were included in

other accrued liabilities in the consolidated balance sheets.

Operating Income (loss). On a consolidated basis, operating income (loss) increased \$34,644, or 118.7% for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 as compared to the 2013 period due to an improvement in OEM Solutions operating income of \$29,862 and Symmetry Surgical operating income of \$8,166 offset by an increased Unallocated loss of \$3,384. Operating income (loss) for each of our segments in these periods was as follows:

	OEM Sol	utions		Symmetry	Surgical		Unallocate			Consolidat	ed Total	
	Dollars	As a % of Revenu		Dollars	As a % of Revenu	e	Dollars	As a % of Revenue	e	Dollars	As a % of Revenu	
	(unaudited	1)										
2013 period reported operating income (loss)	\$(4,940)	(2.2)%	\$(16,330)	(24.5)%	\$(7,917)	(2.7))%	\$(29,187)	(10.0)%
Impact of gross profit and SG&A	¹ 3,512	1.6	%	(1,674)	(4.8)%	(3,674)	(1.2))%	(1,836)	(0.5)%
Impact of asset impairment	26,739	11.2	%	9,309	15.1	%	_		%	36,048	12.3	%
Facility closure and severance	(389)	(0.2)%	531	0.9	%	290	0.1	%	432	0.1	%
2014 period reported operating income (loss)	\$24,922	10.4	%	\$(8,164)	(13.3)%	\$(11,301)	(3.8))%	\$5,457	1.9	%

OEM Solutions operating income improved by \$29,862 and was 10.4% of segment revenue in the 2014 period as compared to (2.2)% in the prior fiscal year period due to the 2013 impact of the asset impairment as well as increases in revenue and gross margin offset by increased impacts of facility closure and severance costs due to the closure of our Cheltenham, U.K. facility. Symmetry Surgical operating income increased by \$8,166 and was (13.3)% of segment revenue in the 2014 fiscal period as compared to (24.5)% in the fiscal 2013 period primarily due to a net decrease in asset impairment charges of \$9,309 as well as decreased impacts of facility closure and severance costs. This improvement was offset by a reduction in revenue as discussed above. The increase in the Unallocated operating costs is primarily related to increased transaction costs.

Other (Income) Expense. Interest expense for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 decreased \$7,126, or 52.8%, to \$6,383 from \$13,509 for the comparable fiscal period in 2013. This decrease is most significantly attributable to the decrease in debt outstanding by \$10,775 as compared to the third quarter 2013.

During March 2014, we fully repaid our Bank Term Loan that was scheduled to mature in December 2016, resulting in a loss on debt extinguishment of \$503.

Derivatives valuation consists of foreign currency forward contracts which were used to mitigate the effect of changes in the foreign exchange rates on net income. As of June 28, 2014, we had settled all of our outstanding forward swap contracts. We recorded a loss of \$242 for the nine months ended September 28, 2013, which is a result of fluctuation in the Euro versus the US Dollar.

Other income for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013 represents foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations on transactions denominated in foreign currencies.

Income Tax Expense. Our effective tax rate was a benefit of 115.7% for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 as compared to a benefit of 36.7% for the nine months ended September 28, 2013. Provision for income taxes increased by \$15,389, or 95.5%, to \$(721) for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 from \$(16,110) for the comparable 2013 period primarily due to a \$43,246 increase in pre-tax income and the impact of non-deductible professional fees occurred in the third quarter 2014 related to the Merger and September Tax.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

Liquidity

Our principal sources of liquidity in the nine months ended September 27, 2014 were cash generated from operations and borrowings under our Amended Credit Agreement. Principal uses of cash in the nine months ended September 27, 2014 included capital expenditures and debt service. Cash flows from discontinued operations are included with cash flows from continuing operations. The absence of these cash flows will not significantly impact future sources of liquidity. We expect that our principal uses of cash in the future will be to finance working capital, to pay for capital expenditures to service debt and to pay Merger and Separation Transaction related expenses.

Operating Activities. Operating activities generated cash of \$33,833 in the nine months ended September 27, 2014 compared to \$34,389 for the nine months ended September 28, 2013, a decrease of \$556. The decrease in cash from operations is

primarily a result of a reduction in working capital and non-cash items partially offset by an increase net income. Net cash provided by working capital for the nine months ended September 27, 2014 was \$1,144 lower than the comparable 2013 period. Aggregate adjustments for non-cash items positively impacted operating cash flows by \$30,630, a \$29,073 decrease from the comparable prior year period, primarily due to the asset impairment of \$41,146 and a loss on sale of business of \$4,117 partially offset by a decrease in our deferred income tax provision of \$12,065.

Investing Activities. Capital expenditures of \$11,404 were \$3,618 higher in the nine months ended September 27, 2014 compared to the nine months ended September 28, 2013. This increase is due to the timing of cash payments as well as the replacement of our permanent acid shop building which was destroyed by fire in September 2013.

Financing Activities. Financing activities used \$2,431 of cash in the nine months ended September 27, 2014 compared to usage of \$32,729 in the nine months ended September 28, 2013. This decrease in cash used by financing activities is due primarily to an \$18,000 increase in net borrowings on the revolving credit agreement and short term borrowings, partially offset by decreases in net payments on bank term loans and capital lease obligations of \$11,978.

Capital Expenditures

Capital expenditures totaled \$11,404 for the nine months ended September 27, 2014, compared to \$7,786 for the nine months ended September 28, 2013. Expenditures were primarily for the replacement of our permanent acid shop building which was destroyed by fire in September 2013 as well as a few key process improvement equipment investments in our cases and tray and instruments plants.

Debt and Credit Facilities

The Corporation's Amended Credit Agreement, which is senior and secured, currently provides for a \$200,000 revolving line of credit (Bank Revolver) and a \$50,000 bank term loan (Bank Term Loan). The Amended Credit Agreement also includes an accordion feature, which permits us to borrow up to an additional \$50,000 in the form of additional term loans or an increase in the Bank Revolver subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Amended Credit Agreement. Borrowings under the Amended Credit Agreement bear interest at a rate per annum based upon LIBOR, the Federal Funds rate or the Lenders' prime rate, in each case plus an applicable margin, at the Corporation's option. The Bank Term Loan was to be repaid in quarterly installments of \$2,778, could be prepaid, in whole or in part, at the option of the Corporation, and was required to be prepaid using all or a portion of the net cash proceeds of certain asset sales, recovery events, and issuances of new debt or equity and, depending on the Corporation's Total Leverage Ratio (as defined in the Amended Credit Agreement), using a portion of the Corporation's Excess Cash Flow (as defined in the Amended Credit Agreement) (the "Excess Cash Flow Prepayment"). The Excess Cash Flow is generated. As of December 28, 2013, the Excess Cash Flow calculation required the Corporation to prepay the bank term loan payable in full prior to March 29, 2014. The payment was made with capacity on the Bank Revolver. The Bank Revolver matures on November 3, 2015.

As of September 27, 2014, we had an aggregate of \$171,070 of outstanding indebtedness, which consisted of \$170,000 of borrowings on our Bank Revolver and \$1,070 of capital lease obligations. We had one outstanding letter of credit as of September 27, 2014, in the amount of \$25.

The Amended Credit Agreement contains various financial covenants, including covenants imposing a maximum ratio of total debt to EBITDA (as defined in the Amended Credit Agreement) and prescribing a minimum ratio of EBITDA to fixed charges (as defined in the Amended Credit Agreement). The Amended Credit Agreement also contains covenants restricting certain corporate actions, including asset dispositions, acquisitions, payment of dividends and certain other restricted payments, changes of control, incurring indebtedness, incurring liens, making loans and

investments and transactions with affiliates. The Amended Credit Agreement is secured by substantially all of the assets of the Corporation (and its U.S. subsidiaries) and also contains customary events of default.

On December 27, 2013, the Corporation amended its Amended Credit Agreement to allow for the prepayment of the senior subordinated term notes (referred to as "Term Notes" or "Mezzanine Debt") and to modify certain financial covenants. In connection with the amendment, the Corporation paid off the outstanding principal and interest of the Term Notes that were to mature on December 29, 2017. The outstanding principal balance of the Term Notes bore interest at a rate of 14% per annum.

As of September 27, 2014, the most restrictive financial covenants per the Corporation's lending arrangements required the debt to EBITDA covenant ratio to be less than 3.50:1. The Corporation's ratio as of September 27, 2014 was approximately 3.02:1. The minimum interest coverage ratio is required to be greater than 1.25:1, and the Corporation's ratio at September 27,

2014 was approximately 2.00:1. The Corporation was in compliance with all covenants as of September 27, 2014. We intend to closely monitor our revenues, cost of revenues and selling, general and administrative expenses to manage our ability to meet our debt covenant requirements.

We believe that cash flow from operating activities and borrowings on our Bank Revolver will be sufficient to fund currently anticipated working capital, planned capital spending and debt service requirements for the foreseeable future, including at least the next twelve months.

Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

Our off-balance sheet arrangements include our operating leases and letters of credit, which are available under the Amended Credit Agreement. We had one letter of credit outstanding as of September 27, 2014 in the amount of \$25.

Environmental

Our facilities and operations are subject to extensive federal, state, local and foreign environmental and occupational health and safety laws and regulations. These laws and regulations govern, among other things, air emissions; wastewater discharges; the generation, storage, handling, use and transportation of hazardous materials; the handling and disposal of hazardous wastes; the cleanup of contamination; and the health and safety of our employees. Under such laws and regulations, we are required to obtain permits from governmental authorities for some of our operations. If we violate or fail to comply with these laws, regulations or permits, we could be fined or otherwise sanctioned by regulators. We could also be held responsible for costs and damages arising from any contamination at our past or present facilities or at third-party waste disposal sites. We cannot completely eliminate the risk of contamination or injury resulting from hazardous materials, and we may incur material liability as a result of any contamination or injury.

We incurred minimal capital expenditures for environmental, health and safety in the nine months ended September 27, 2014 and September 28, 2013.

In connection with past acquisitions, we completed Phase I environmental assessments and did not find any significant issues that we believe needed to be remediated. We updated those Phase I assessments in conjunction with providing security for financing for the Codman acquisition and found no issues at that time either. Based on information currently available, we do not believe that we have any material environmental liabilities. We cannot be certain, however, that environmental issues will not be discovered or arise in the future related to these acquisitions.

Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

The preparation of our consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses during the periods presented. Our Annual Report on Form 10-K for fiscal year ended December 28, 2013, includes a summary of the critical accounting policies we believe are the most important to aid in understanding our financial results. There have been no material changes to these critical accounting policies that impacted our reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues or expenses during the nine months ended September 27, 2014.

ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

For financial market risks related to changes in interest rates, foreign currency exchange rates, commodity prices and the effects of inflation, reference is made to Item 7a "Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk" contained in Part II of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 28, 2013. Our exposure to these risks, at the end of the third quarter covered by this report, has not changed materially since December 28, 2013.

ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

This Report includes the certifications of our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer required by Rule 13a-14 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"). See Exhibits 31.1 and 31.2. This Item 4 includes information concerning the controls and control evaluations referred to in those certifications.

(a) Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

Disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act) are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in reports filed or submitted under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized, and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC rules and forms and that such information is accumulated and communicated to management, including the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures.

In connection with the preparation of this Report, our management, under the supervision and with the participation of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, conducted an evaluation of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the fiscal quarter covered by this report on Form 10-Q. Based on that evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of September 27, 2014.

(b) Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting

There have been no changes in our "internal control over financial reporting" (as defined in Rule 13a-15(f) of the Exchange Act) that occurred during the fiscal quarter covered by this report on Form 10-Q that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

PART II OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

On September 29, 2014, a purported class action complaint challenging the Merger and Separation Transaction was filed on behalf of Resolution Partners, an alleged stockholder of the Corporation, and all others similarly situated, in the Kosciusko Circuit Court in the state of Indiana. The complaint generally alleges, among other things, that the members of the SMI board of directors breached their fiduciary duties to Resolution Partners and SMI stockholders during merger negotiations and by entering into the Merger Agreement and approving the Merger, and that Genstar and Tecomet allegedly aided and abetted such alleged breaches of fiduciary duties. The complaint further alleges that the joint proxy statement/prospectus filed by Symmetry Surgical with the SEC on September 5, 2014, which contained the preliminary proxy statement of SMI, was misleading or omitted certain allegedly material information. The complaint seeks, among other relief, injunctive relief enjoining consummation of the Merger, compensatory and/or rescissory damages in an unspecified amount and costs and fees.

On October 15, 2014, the plaintiff filed a Motion for a Preliminary Injunction, Expedited Discovery and a Hearing Date to Continue the Preliminary Injunction Pending Trial. On October 23, 2014, the parties agreed to a compromise on expedited discovery, mooting that aspect of plaintiff's motion, and stipulated to a briefing schedule on plaintiff's motion for a preliminary injunction. The Court has set a hearing for the plaintiff's motion, which is currently scheduled for December 1, 2014.

The defendants believe that the claims asserted against them in the lawsuit are without merit, but express no view on the possible outcomes of the litigation.

In addition to the other information set forth in this report, you should carefully consider the factors discussed in Part I, Item 1A "Risk Factors" contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 28, 2013, which could materially affect our business, financial condition or future results.

ITEM 2. UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

The following information is provided pursuant to Item 703 of Regulation S-K:

	(a) Total		(c) Total Number of	(d) Maximum Number (or
	Number of	(b) Average	Shares (or Units)	Approximate Dollar Value) of
Period	Shares (or	Price paid per	Purchased as Part of	Shares (or Units) that May Yet Be
	Units)	Share (or Unit)	Publicly Announced	Purchased Under the Plans or
	Purchased		Plans or Programs	Programs
July 2014	2,449	\$9.30	—	—

(1) The shares repurchased represent shares of our common stock that employees elected to surrender to the Corporation to satisfy their tax withholding obligations upon the vesting of shares of restricted stock. We do not consider this a share buyback program.

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS

31.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer required by Item 307 of Regulation S-K as promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission and pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.*
31.2	Certification of Chief Financial Officer required by Item 307 of Regulation S-K as promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission and pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.*
32.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.*
101.INS	XBRL Instance Document~
101.SCH	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document~
101.CAL	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document~
101.DEF	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document~
101.LAB	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document~
101.PRE	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document~

* Filed concurrently herewith.

~ In accordance with Rule 406T under Regulation S-T, the XBRL-related information in Exhibit 101 shall be deemed "furnished" and not "filed."

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

SYMMETRY MEDICAL INC.

- By /s/ Thomas J. Sullivan Thomas J. Sullivan, President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)
- By /s/ Fred L. Hite Fred L. Hite, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

November 6, 2014